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National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners

March 17, 2008

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

RE: In the Matter of Special Access Rates for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers WC Docket No. 05-25

Attached NARUC "Acknowledgement of Confidentiality" for access to confidential materials filed by the party listed on the attached Certificate of Service for Robert Loube.

Dear Secretary Dortch:

The National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) is considering whether to file late comments in WC Docket No. 05-25. The National Regulatory Research Institute has agreed to complete a study on this subject. I am assisting Robert Loube as part of that process by serving and e-mailing the attached acknowledgements. I assured that two copies of a cover letter and the executed Acknowledgement of Confidentiality for Mr. Robert Loube, has been served by first class mail, postage prepaid, upon the submitting parties listed in the attached Certificate of Service.

I have also filed the items I served on the listed parties – along with this cover letter with the FCC and e-mailed copies of both to the FCC's Margaret Dailey and Pamela Arluk. I understand that Robert Loube has already filed copies of his acknowledgements with the FCC.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Brad Ramsay at 202,898,2207 or via e-mail at iramsay@naruc.org.

Sincerely,

James Bradford Ramsay

General Counsel

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- Executed the *Acknowledgement of Confidentiality* attached as Appendix B to the June 8th Order,
- Assured that two copies of this cover letter and the attached Acknowledgement of Confidentiality have been served via 1st class mail, postage prepaid, upon the submitting parties listed in the attached Certificate of Service,
- > Filed this letter and the Acknowledgement of Confidentiality with the FCC, and
- E-mailed copies of both to FCC's Margaret Dailey and Pamela Arluk.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 301-681-0338.

Sincerely,

Robert Loube

Vice President, Rolka Loube Saltzer Associates

APPENDIX B

Acknowledgment of Confidentiality

WC Docket No. 05-25

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and read a copy of the foregoing Protective Order in the above-referenced proceeding, and I understand it. I agree that I am bound by the Protective Order and that I shall not disclose or use Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information except as allowed by the Protective Order. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission.

Without limiting the foregoing, to the extent that I have any employment, affiliation or role with any person or entity other than a conventional private law firm (such as, but not limited to, a lobbying or public interest organization), I acknowledge specifically that my access to any information obtained as a result of the Protective Order is due solely to my capacity as Counsel or consultant to a party or other person described in paragraph 4 of the foregoing Protective Order and that I will not use such information in any other capacity nor will I disclose such information except as specifically provided in the Protective Order.

I hereby certify that I am not involved in "competitive decision-making" as that term is used in the definition of In-House Counsel in paragraph 1 of the Protective Order.

I acknowledge that it is my obligation to ensure that: (1) Stamped Confidential Documents and Confidential Information are used only as provided in the Protective Order; and (2) Stamped Confidential Documents are not duplicated except as specifically permitted by the terms of paragraph 9 of the Protective Order, and I certify that I have verified that there are in place procedures, at my firm or office, to prevent unauthorized disclosure of Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information.

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Order or Protective Order.

Executed at Silver Spring Maryland this 17 day of March, 2008.

Robert Loube

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 7 of the Protective Order, Appendix A, of WC Docket No. 05-25 of the Federal Communications Commission, I hereby certify that I have this 17th day of March, 2008, served the foregoing Acknowledgement of Confidentiality by first class mail, postage prepaid, upon all Submitting Parties to this docket. Those parties served are set forth on the attached list of parties. I have also served the foregoing document by first class mail delivery to the Secretary's office at the Federal Communications Commission.

Respectfully subm

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